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Re: Applicant(s): Vivek V. Gupta; Basant Rajan; Angshuman Bezbarua
Assignee: VERITAS Operating Corporation
Title: Method And System For Improved Storage System Performance Using Cloning Of
Cached Data
Serial No.: 10/642,862
Examiner: Hetul B. Patel Filed: August 18, 2003
Docket No.: VRT0092US Group Art Unit: 2186

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (*in duplicate*);
- (3) Request for Continued Examination (RCE) (1 page); and
- (4) Amendments & Remarks Accompanying Request For Continued Examination (13 pages).



No additional fee is required.

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	Claims Remaining <u>After Amendment</u>		Highest No. Previously <u>Paid For</u>		Present <u>Extra</u>		Rate		Additional <u>Fee</u>
Total Claims	34	Minus	36	=	0	x	\$ 50.00	\$	0.00
Independent Claims	5	Minus	5	=	0	x	\$ 200.00	\$	0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee for Request for Continued Examination (RCE)						x	\$	790.00	
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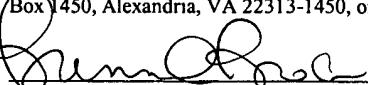
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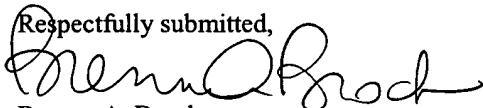
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